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COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)	Docket No. 00-006
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In Re: Application Of: **WALKER et al.**

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 PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. 09/540,214	Filing Date March 31, 2000	Examiner Arthur D. DURAN	Customer No. 22927	Group Art Unit 3622	Confirmation No. 9740
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Invention: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONDUCTING A TRANSACTION BASED ON BRAND INDIFFERENCE**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of April 1, 2005 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month
 ☐ Two months
 ☐ Three months
 ☐ Four months
 ☐ Five months

from: July 1, 2005 until: August 1, 2005
Date *Date*

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	88 -	96 =	0	x \$25.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	52 -	53 =	0	x \$100.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$60.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$60.00

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of _____ for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. **50-0271** in the amount of **\$60.00**
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **50-0271**
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-0271**
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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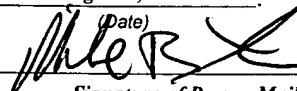
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Dated: August 1, 2005

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August 1, 2005



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